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## Atafina Kick-Off Call

10/24/01

Tom Kenney (ORC), Michelle Jaster (OSC), DH (conf)

ER in July <sup>14</sup> at Detroit Plant

Release + fire from methyl mercaptan

3 died, evacuation of 4 communities, incl. ½ of Grossesse

NTSB ongoing investigation

lead

OCEPP involved, have sent 1046(s) - Ivonne Vicente (B12)

PRP notified EPA @ 10a (accident occurred @ 8am)

+ Jim Entzinger

HQ involved, too

{ OSC - air monitoring by 4 OSCs, 20 START contractors, special eqn.,

ERT from Edison w/ mobile lab to screen neighborhoods for meth.merc.

Extensive ER, substantial costs (> \$100k - \$500k)

Water released to Trenton branch of Detroit office

Public mtgs, outcry from communities re: notification, evacuation,

no exposure date during event (EPA had data for after)

Falls W in U.S. Coast Guard jurisdiction, so had lead, (1<sup>st</sup> time)

EPA supported them

Company did cleanup

USCG

Lt. Rob Hemp MSO - Detroit (313) 576-9498  
568 on-scene

Pat Gernity - current commander

Atafina Plant Mgr.

Joe Alli (734) 246-2007

Rebecca Burnside - in-houseatty (out of HQ)

- \* - issue: recover our own costs VS. sending doc. to USCG
  - + let them recover all

- Work w/ Gail Nabasny

- Michelle will send us info

